

**AMENDMENT TO RESOLVE 10-21/22  
PREPARED BY CORPORATION COUNSEL  
FOR MAYOR SNYDER AND COUNCILOR ZARRO  
RE: TIME FOR PUBLIC COMMENT AT 5:00 PM**

**BE IT RESOLVED**, that the City Council of the City of Portland, Maine, in the City Council assembled, does hereby adopt the Rules and Orders of the City Council, as attached hereto, as the Rules of Procedure of the City Council.

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**Rule 32. Procedure for Addressing Council**

Any person wishing to address the Council will be given an opportunity to do so in accordance with the following procedure:

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4. Persons wishing to address the Council on an item not appearing on the Council agenda shall only do so at the ~~6:00~~5:00 p.m. public comment period reserved on the Council agenda for non-agenda items. Such public comment period shall not extend beyond ~~7:00~~5:45 p.m.; provided, however, that upon a vote of a majority of the Council, the public comment period may be reopened at the end of end of the Council's consideration of all other agenda items, excepting adjournment. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the public comment period reserved on the Council agenda for non-agenda items shall not be reopened after 11 p.m.